In response to your recent FCC Public Notice, I am writing to ask you to fix your MMSI number recording system so all boaters can avoid an unneeded inconvenience and cost to change MMSI numbers for travel to Canada and the Bahamas. I purchased a VHF radio in 2004 with the DSC feature and was assigned 338030757 via BoatUS. There was no indication at that time that this feature would be inoperative in International Waters.